



2007-2008 UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

Game Notes ♦ Game 9

Quinnipiac (6-1) vs. Delaware (1-7)

Tuesday, December 18, 2007 ♦ 7 p.m.

Bob Carpenter Center (5,000) ♦ Newark, DE

Delaware vs. Quinnipiac

All-Time Series Record: This is the first-ever meeting between Delaware and Quinnipiac.

Last time out for the Fightin' Blue Hens: The Hens suffered a 65-53 loss to visiting Maryland-Eastern Shore on Dec. 6 at the Bob Carpenter Center. Delaware lost its seventh straight game for the first time since an eight-game skid in the 1997-98 season. Sophomore guard Corinthia Benison tied her career high with 15 points, while senior forward Courtney Irving posted season highs of 14 points and eight rebounds for the Hens, who placed four players in double figures but shot just 20.7 percent from the floor in the second half.

Last time out for the Bobcats: Junior guard Erin Kerner stripped the ball from La Salle's Jamie Walsh on the final possession of the game to give Quinnipiac a 65-64 victory in Philadelphia on Dec. 8. The Bobcats extended their winning streak to five games behind 17 points and six assists from Kerner and 15 points apiece from Monique Lee and Mandy Pennewell.

Probable Starters

Delaware (1-7, 0-0 CAA)

No.	Name	.....Pos	..Yr	.....PPG	....RPG	....APG
11	Kyle DeHaven	.....G	.....Sr	.....11.2	....3.2	....4.7
	-Shot just 3-for-16 from the floor in loss to UMES on Dec. 6.					
23	Vanessa Kabongo	.....G	.....Fr	.....6.8	....1.9	....0.8
	-Held scoreless against UMES after reaching double figures in three straight games.					
32	Jamie Mundy	.....G	.....Jr	.....7.5	....4.3	....0.4
	-Matched season high with 10 points against the Hawks.					
30	Courtney Irving	.....F	.....Sr	.....6.1	....4.1	....0.5
	-Posted season highs of 14 points and eight boards after she averaged just 3.3 ppg and 3.7 rpg in previous three outings.					
20	Eva Riddick	.....C	.....Fr	.....1.1	....3.0	....0.3
	-Limited to one rebound in loss to Maryland-Eastern Shore.					

Quinnipiac (6-1, 1-0 NEC)

No.	Name	.....Pos	..Yr	.....PPG	....RPG	....APG
3	Erin Kerner	.....G	.....Jr	.....16.4	....3.1	....3.7
	-In last three games, averaged 21.0 ppg, shot .532 from the floor, and connected on 10 of 20 three-pointers.					
23	Mandy Pennewell	.....G	.....Jr	.....14.4	....3.3	....2.4
	-Has scored 15 or more points in five of seven games this year.					
10	Brianna Rooney	.....G	.....Jr	.....8.0	....4.0	....2.3
	-Has collected a team-high 16 steals on the season.					
21	Monique Lee	.....F	.....Sr	.....10.7	....8.7	....2.6
	-Averaging 2.0 bpg this year, best on the squad.					
31	Courtney Kaminski	.....C	.....So	.....9.4	....4.4	....1.4
	-Scored eight points and grabbed five boards versus La Salle.					

2007-08 SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Time
Nov. 9	^ Delaware State	W 54-47
Nov. 13	^at #3 Maryland	L 43-91
Nov. 16	^at Texas Christian	L 36-66
Nov. 20	Boston College	L 51-53
Nov. 23	#vs. Louisville	L 55-80
Nov. 24	#vs. Murray State	L 46-62
Nov. 28	La Salle	L 43-54
Dec. 6	Maryland-East. Shore	L 53-65
Dec. 18	Quinnipiac	7 p.m.
Dec. 21	Bowling Green	7 p.m.
Dec. 29	%vs. Arkansas	5 p.m.
Dec. 30	%vs. Dartmouth/Marquette	5/7 p.m.
Jan. 6	*at George Mason	2 p.m.
Jan. 10	* Drexel	7 p.m.
Jan. 13	*at William & Mary	2 p.m.
Jan. 17	* UNC Wilmington	7 p.m.
Jan. 20	* Northeastern	1 p.m.
Jan. 24	*at Georgia State	6 p.m.
Jan. 27	* Old Dominion	2:30 p.m.
Jan. 31	*at Hofstra	Noon
Feb. 3	*at Northeastern	2 p.m.
Feb. 7	* VCU	7 p.m.
Feb. 10	* George Mason	1 p.m.
Feb. 14	*at Drexel	7 p.m.
Feb. 17	* Hofstra	1 p.m.
Feb. 21	* Towson	7 p.m.
Feb. 24	*at James Madison	Noon
Feb. 28	* Georgia State	7 p.m.
Mar. 2	*at VCU	2 p.m.
Mar. 6	*at Towson	7 p.m.
Mar. 13-16	CAA Tournament at UD	TBA
Mar. 20-Apr. 7	NCAA Tournament	TBA

^ Pre-Season Women's National Invitation Tournament
Panera Bread Challenge at Tennessee-Chattanooga
%Blue Sky Classic at Dartmouth
*Colonial Athletic Association Games

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Delaware "Fightin' Blue Hens" (1-7, 0-0 CAA)

No.	Name	Class	Pos.	Ht.	Hometown/High School (College)	2007-08 Key Stats
11	Kyle DeHaven.....	Sr.	G	5-8	Herndon, VA/Herndon (William & Mary)	11.2 ppg, 4.7 apg, 3.2 spg
12	Gracie Palucis.....	Fr.	G	5-10	Moon Township, PA/Moon Township	8.8 mpg, 0.4 ppg, 0.8 rpg
20	Eva Riddick.....	Fr.	C	6-3	Rochester, NY/Rush-Henrietta	1.1 ppg, 3.0 rpg, 0.9 spg
22	Sha'Ron Harrison.....	So.	F	6-1	Patterson, NJ/John F. Kennedy	3.3 ppg, 3.6 rpg, 1.4 spg
23	Vanessa Kabongo.....	Fr.	G	5-10	Toronto, Ontario, Canada/Eastern Commerce	6.8 ppg, 1.9 rpg, .381 FG%
24	Ethlynnne Thomas.....	Jr.	G	5-10	Gaithersburg, MD/Watkins Mill	3.7 ppg, 3.3 rpg, .857 FT%
30	Courtney Irving.....	Sr.	F	6-1	Hockessin, DE/Wilmington Charter	6.1 ppg, 4.1 rpg, .484 FG%
31	Corinthia Benison.....	So.	G	5-9	New York, NY/Holderness (Notre Dame Prep)	7.3 ppg, 2.5 rpg, 1.5 spg
32	Jamie Mundy.....	Jr.	G	6-0	Proctorville, OH/Spring Valley (Georgetown)	7.5 ppg, 4.3 rpg, .833 FT%
34	Tesia Harris.....	Fr.	G	6-0	Dix Hills, NY/Half Hollow Hills West	8.3 mpg, 2.3 ppg, 1.7 rpg
43	Farrah Ferguson.....	So.	C	6-4	Ambler, PA/Wissahickon	1.5 ppg, 3.3 rpg, 0.9 bpg
44	Ariene Jenkins.....	Fr.-r	F	6-1	Woodbridge, VA/Woodbridge	7.8 mpg, 1.0 ppg, 0.8 rpg

Head Coach: Tina Martin (Lock Haven '86, 12th season at Delaware, 216-117 record with Blue Hens)

Associate Head Coach: Jeanine Radice (Fordham '89, 12th season)

Assistant Coaches: Melissa Dymek (Richmond '04, fourth season), Tiara Malcom (Delaware '05, second season)

Captains: Kyle DeHaven, Jamie Mundy

The last time...

UD played overtime...

2/12/06 at Hofstra (L 85-91 OT)

UD played double-overtime...

1/27/02, William & Mary (W 80-77 2OT)

UD scored 100 points...

2/27/81, Temple (W 101-96 OT)

UD allowed 100 points...

2/13/97, Maine (L 54-102)

UD was held under 40 points...

11/16/07 at Texas Christian (L 36-66)

UD held opponent under 40 points...

3/1/07 at Northeastern (W 65-35)

UD made five 3-pt FGs...

3/1/07 at Northeastern (5-9)

An opponent made five 3-pt FGs...

12/6/07, UMES (5-20)

A Blue Hen scored 20 points...

Kyle DeHaven (24), 11/9/07, Delaware State

An opponent scored 20 points...

Angel McCoughtry, Louisville (32), 11/23/07

A Blue Hen scored 25 points...

Tyresa Smith (32), 2/22/07, James Madison

An opponent scored 25 points...

Angel McCoughtry, Louisville (32), 11/23/07

A Blue Hen scored 30 points...

Tyresa Smith (32), 2/22/07, James Madison

An opponent scored 30 points...

Angel McCoughtry, Louisville (32), 11/23/07

A Blue Hen grabbed 10 rebounds...

Sha'Ron Harrison (12), 11/9/07, Delaware St.

An opponent grabbed 10 rebounds...

April McBride, UMES (11), 12/6/07

A Blue Hen grabbed 15 rebounds...

Tyresa Smith (15), 3/1/07, at Northeastern

An opponent grabbed 15 rebounds...

Stefanie Murphy, Boston College (16), 11/20/07

A Blue Hen had 10 assists...

Christine Koren (10), 11/19/99, at Lafayette

An opponent had 10 assists...

Kristi Toliver, Maryland (10), 11/13/07

A Blue Hen had 5 blocks...

Farrah Ferguson (6), 2/15/07, UNC Wilmington

An opponent had 5 blocks...

Allyssa DeHaan, Michigan State (6), 3/18/07

A Blue Hen had a double-double...

Chrissy Fisher (13 pts, 11 rbs), 3/18/07, at Michigan State

An opponent had a double-double...

April McBride, UMES (11 pts, 11 rbs), 12/6/07



Head Coach Tina Martin

12th season at University of Delaware...has compiled a 216-117 record at the helm of the Hens' basketball program, becoming

the fastest UD basketball coach (men's or women's) to reach 100 career wins...has led the Blue Hens to 20-win seasons in seven of the last eight years and six post-season appearances, including NCAA bids in 2001 and 2007...Martin began her coaching career at Lock Haven in 1986-87, serving as a graduate assistant, and the next season moved on to Seton Hall...spent nine seasons at Seton Hall as an assistant coach in a program that made back-to-back NCAA tournament appearances in 1994 and 1995, advancing to the Sweet 16 in 1994...a native of Williamsport, PA, she was a two-time Division II All-American at Lock Haven University, a four-time Pennsylvania State Athletic Conference all-star, and two-time league Player of the Year who finished her career as the PSAC's all-time leading scorer with 2,157 career points.

Martin's Coaching Record

At Lock Haven (Graduate Assistant Coach)

Year	Record	Highlights
1986-87	16-12	2nd, PSAC West

At Seton Hall (Assistant Coach)

Year	Record	Highlights
1987-88	10-19	Big East Tournament 2nd Round
1988-89	18-10	
1989-90	21-7	
1990-91	18-11	
1991-92	14-15	Big East Tournament 2nd Round
1992-93	14-13	
1993-94	27-5	2nd, Big East Tournament; NCAA Sweet 16

1994-95	24-9	2nd, Big East Tournament; NCAA Tournament 2nd Round
1995-96	16-13	Big East 7 Co-Champs

At Delaware (Head Coach)

Year	Record	Highlights
1996-97	9-19	America East Quarterfinals
1997-98	6-21	America East First Round
1998-99	16-11	America East Quarterfinals
1999-00	21-8	America East Semifinals; Best season at UD since 1989-90
2000-01	26-5	America East Regular Season Champs. (17-1); America East Tournament Champions; NCAA first round; America East Coach of the Year
2001-02	23-7	CAA Semifinals; WNIT first round
2002-03	22-9	CAA Runners-up; tied for CAA regular season title; WNIT first round
2003-04	19-10	CAA Semifinals
2004-05	25-6	CAA Runners-up; won CAA regular season title; WNIT first round
2005-06	22-8	CAA Semifinals; WNIT first round
2006-07	26-6	CAA Semifinals; NCAA first round
2007-08	1-7	

UD Totals 216-117 overall, 85-23 CAA, 2 NCAA Tournament appearances, 4 NITs

Blue Hens on the Air

The Tina Martin Show

The Tina Martin Show airs each Monday from 6:30-7 p.m. on The Ticket 1290 AM and The River 92.9 FM (Real Audio links are available at www.udel.edu/sportsinfo/womens_basketball). Each Monday, the Tina Martin Show will be broadcast from Klondike Kate's on Main Street in Newark, DE. Coach Martin is joined by the voice of the Blue Hens, Mike Corey, for a review of the past week's games, a preview of upcoming action, and a series of questions from the restaurant audience and listeners via call-in. The first Tina Martin Show will be held on January 7.

Radio Coverage

For the fourth year, all Blue Hen games will be broadcast on The Ticket 1290 AM. Handling the play-by-play will be John Sadak and on color will be Mark Kasubinski. For more detailed listings, see the Delaware women's basketball home page (www.udel.edu/sportsinfo/womens_basketball). In addition, many UD basketball games are also broadcast on WVUD-FM 91.3, the UD student station, and WVUD2, the station's internet radio network. Real Audio links for both broadcasts are available through UD's athletics Web site (The Ticket-AM 1290, WVUD FM 91.3).

Pronunciation Guide

#12 Gracie Palucis (puh-LOO-sis)
 #20 Eva (EE-vuh) Riddick
 #23 Vanessa Kabongo (kuh-BON-go)
 #24 Ethlynn (ETH-lyn) Thomas
 #34 Tesia (teh-SEE-uh) Harris
 #44 Ariene (airy-enne) Jenkins
 Associate Head Coach Jeanine Radice (ruh-DEESE)
 Assistant Coach Melissa Dymek (DIH-mick)

5 ♦ 55 ♦ .304 ♦ 7 ♦ 336

Freshmen on the Blue Hens' roster - the youngest in the CAA.

Delaware's season high for points. The Hens topped 55 points 31 times last season.

Delaware's field goal percentage in its first eight games this year.

Twenty-win seasons in the last eight years for the Blue Hens.

Career steals by senior guard Kyle DeHaven, fifth all-time in the Colonial Athletic Association.

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CAA Women's Basketball Predicted Order of Finish

1. Old Dominion
2. James Madison
3. William & Mary
4. Virginia Commonwealth
- 5. Delaware**
6. Towson
7. Hofstra
8. Drexel
9. Georgia State
10. Northeastern
11. UNC Wilmington
12. George Mason

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CAA Women's Basketball Preseason All-Conference Teams

First Team

Tamera Young, James Madison
 Quanitra Hollingsworth, VCU
 T.J. Jordan, Old Dominion
 Kyra Kaylor, William & Mary
 Gabriela Marginean, Drexel

Second Team

Shanae Baker-Brice, Towson
Kyle DeHaven, Delaware
 Tiffany Green, Old Dominion
 Brittany Hollins, Georgia State
 Shaleyse Smallwood, Northeastern
 Krystal Vaughn, VCU

Under Tina Martin

Home	112-32
Away	84-69
Neutral	20-16
vs. CAA	85-23
vs. CAA at Home	45-8
vs. CAA on Road	40-15
in Overtime	9-4
November	29-22
December	47-19
January	63-33
February	56-28
March	21-15
Sunday	61-26
Monday	12-3
Tuesday	9-12
Wednesday	16-7
Thursday	54-20
Friday	33-23
Saturday	31-26

Benison Raises the Bar

Sophomore guard **Corinthia Benison** tied her career high with 15 points in the Blue Hens' 65-53 loss to visiting UMES on Dec. 6 at the Bob Carpenter Center. She hit six of her 14 field goal attempts off the bench, adding four rebounds and three steals in 35 minutes. Benison is now averaging 7.3 points and 2.5 boards in just 23.9 minutes per contest. Over her last four games, Benison has averaged 9.5 points and 3.0 boards, up from 5.0 ppg and 2.0 rpg in her first four outings.

Irving Asserts Herself

Forward **Courtney Irving** posted season highs of 14 points and eight rebounds in the Hens' loss to UMES. The sweet-shooting senior went 4-for-10 from the floor and converted six of seven free throws in the setback. Irving scored 10 of her points and pulled down four boards - three offensive - after intermission.

Thomas Back in Action

Junior guard **Ethlynn Thomas**, who missed the UMES game with a chipped bone in her right ankle, has returned to the UD line-up. Thomas, who poured in a career-high 10 points in UD's loss to Murray State on Nov. 24, sustained the injury during practice two weeks ago.

Bell Leaves Team

Two weeks ago, forward **Brittany Bell** decided to leave the team and transfer to another school. The 6-foot-1 redshirt freshman played in just two games for the Hens this season, missing her only field goal attempt and making a steal in five minutes of action.

Cooper Now a Student Assistant

Freshman guard **Rocelia Cooper**, a walk-on from Germantown, MD who suffered a head injury early in the season and has yet to play in a game, will sit out the remainder of the year and serve as a student assistant with the UD coaching staff. In high school, Cooper led Connelly School of the Holy Child to a pair of league titles.

Stealing The Show

Senior guard **Kyle DeHaven** grabbed two steals in UD's 65-53 loss to UMES on Dec. 6 to bring her career total to 336, fifth-best in CAA history. DeHaven has established herself as one of the league's craftiest thieves on the hard-

Hens By the Numbers

	'07-08	'06-07
Home	1-3	14-1
Away	0-2	11-4
Neutral	0-2	1-1
vs. CAA at Home	0-0	9-0
vs. CAA on Road	0-0	7-2
in Overtime	0-0	0-0
Scoring 70+ points	0-0	13-0
Scoring -70 points	1-7	13-6
Allowing 70+ points	0-2	1-2
Allowing -70 points	1-5	25-4
Leading at Halftime	0-1	20-1
Trailing at Halftime	1-6	5-5
Tied at Halftime	0-0	1-0
Shoot 50%+ FG	0-0	4-0
Shoot -50% FG	1-7	22-6
Opp. shoots 50%+ FG	0-2	0-3
Opp. shoots -50% FG	1-5	26-3
Shoot 70%+ FT	1-4	16-5
Shoot -70% FT	0-3	10-1
Opp. shoots 70%+ FT	0-6	14-3
Opp. shoots -70% FT	1-1	12-3
More or = turnovers	0-3	1-2
Less turnovers	1-4	25-4
Outrebound or = Opp.	0-1	17-3
Outrebounded by Opp.	1-6	9-3
More or = Assists	1-0	20-1
Less Assists	0-7	6-5
At night	1-7	15-4
During the day	0-0	11-2
In November	1-6	5-1
In December	0-1	5-1
In January	0-0	7-1
In February	0-0	7-1
In March	0-0	2-2
Sunday	0-0	11-2
Monday	0-0	0-0
Tuesday	0-2	1-1
Wednesday	0-1	1-0
Thursday	0-1	8-1
Friday	1-2	4-1
Saturday	0-1	1-1
vs. Atlantic 10	0-1	3-0
vs. America East	0-0	1-0
vs. Atlantic Coast	0-2	0-1
vs. Big East	0-1	1-0
vs. Big Ten	0-0	0-1
vs. CAA	0-0	17-3
vs. Ivy League	0-0	1-0
vs. MEAC	1-1	0-0
vs. Mid American	0-0	0-1
vs. Mountain West	0-1	0-0
vs. Northeast	0-0	0-0
vs. Ohio Valley	0-1	0-0
vs. Patriot League	0-0	1-0
vs. SEC	0-0	1-0
vs. Southern	0-0	0-0
vs. West Coast Conference	0-0	1-0

Around the CAA

2007-08 Standings

(Through 12/17/07)

Team	CAA			Overall		
	W	L	Pct.	W	L	Pct.
VCU	0	0	----	7	1	.875
James Madison	0	0	----	6	1	.857
UNC Wilmington	0	0	----	6	2	.750
Old Dominion	0	0	----	6	3	.667
Towson	0	0	----	4	3	.571
Northeastern	0	0	----	5	4	.556
George Mason	0	0	----	4	4	.500
William & Mary	0	0	----	3	4	.429
Georgia State	0	0	----	2	5	.286
Hofstra	0	0	----	2	6	.250
Drexel	0	0	----	2	6	.250
Delaware	0	0	----	1	7	.125

Recent Results

December 16

Drexel 57, Monmouth 49

Georgetown 57, VCU 43

December 15

Northeastern 78, New Hampshire 71

December 11

Yale 73, Hofstra 67

December 9

Syracuse 79, Northeastern 46

Hartford 73, Hofstra 42

William & Mary 90, Howard 56

December 8

Dayton 60, Drexel 50

VCU 67, Radford 52

Schedule

December 17

Georgia State at Winthrop 7 p.m.

December 18

Quinnipiac at Delaware 7 p.m.

December 19

UMBC at Towson 5:15 p.m.

American at George Mason 7 p.m.

December 20

Delaware State at Old Dominion 11 a.m.

East Carolina at UNC Wilmington noon

Penn at Drexel 1 p.m.

Duquesne at William & Mary 6 p.m.

Maryland at James Madison 7 p.m.

wood. She needs just seven more steals to pass Tyresa Smith for fourth on the CAA list and take over the all-time UD lead. She has made 19 steals this year for an average of 3.2 per game. The three-time CAA All-Defensive Team selection collected a league-high 99 steals last season and averaged 3.1 steals per game, good for 11th in all of Division I.

Home Sweet Home

The Blue Hens are 112-32 (.778) in the Bob Carpenter Center under head coach **Tina Martin**. UD went 77-11 (.875) at home from the start of the 2000-01 season through the end of last year.

...But Lately, Homesick

The Hens have lost three of four games at the BCC this year. Delaware has dropped three straight at home for the first time since a four-game skid that ran from Jan. 8-29, 1998.

Nice NEC

Delaware is 12-9 (.571) all-time against current members of the Northeast Conference. The Blue Hens have won 10 straight over squads now in the NEC, a streak that dates back to December of 1990. In their last match-up with a team from the NEC, the Hens defeated St. Francis (Pa.), 87-83, on Dec. 20, 2000. Tonight marks the first-ever meeting between Delaware and Quinnipiac, however.

Banner Year

Last season was one to remember for the Blue Hens, who tied a school record with 26 wins, toppled two top-25 teams in the regular season, and earned an at-large berth in the NCAA Tournament, where they fell to Michigan State, 69-58, in a hard-fought game. Senior guard **Tyresa Smith**, who led the league with 19.8 points per game and finished a brilliant career as the Hens' No. 2 all-time scorer, was named CAA Defensive Player of the Year and first-team All-CAA.

Playing The Percentages

Delaware graduated three senior leaders from last year in guards **Tyresa Smith** and **Alena Koshansky** and forward **Chrissy Fisher**. Numbers can't do justice to the impact those three stars had on the program, but they're a good place to start. Last year, they accounted for 58.7 percent of the Hens' points, 49.6 percent of their rebounds, and 53.8 percent of their assists.

Off the Mark Behind The Arc

Delaware went just 3-for-17 (.176) from three-point range in its loss to UMES on Dec. 6, and the Hens have connected on just 17 of their 91 tries from beyond the

arc this year. The Blue Hens' .187 three-point field goal percentage ranks last in the CAA, and UD hasn't made five or more three-pointers in a game since March 1 of last year.

Ballhawks

The Blue Hens collected eight steals and forced 18 turnovers in their loss to the Hawks on Dec. 6. The Hens have forced 19.8 turnovers and made 9.9 steals per game this season, picking up where they left off last year. Delaware's '06-'07 success began with its defense, as the Hens forced more turnovers (22.3 per game) than any other CAA team and made a league-high 424 steals. Three Blue Hens - **Kyle DeHaven**, **Tyresa Smith**, and **Alena Koshansky** - placed among the league's top six in steals, as all three tallied at least 80.

Balancing Act

Corinthia Benison (15 points), **Courtney Irving** (14), **Kyle DeHaven** (11), and **Jamie Mundy** (10) all scored in double figures for the Hens in their loss to Maryland Eastern Shore on Dec. 6, the first time since March 9 of last season that four UD players scored 10 or more points. The Blue Hens did the trick seven times in 2006-07.

New Faces

The Blue Hens welcome four true freshmen - guards **Tesia Harris**, **Vanessa Kabongo**, and **Gracie Palucis** and center **Eva Riddick** - to the fold. Redshirt freshman **Ariene Jenkins** also joins the Hens, who boast the CAA's youngest roster with five freshmen and three sophomores. Kabongo has averaged 6.7 points this season to lead the newcomers, reaching double figures four times, while Harris posted career highs of 10 points and six boards in the Hens' loss to La Salle on Nov. 28. Riddick, meanwhile, has made two consecutive starts and is pulling down 3.0 rebounds per contest. The 6-foot-3 center scored two points, hauled in six rebounds, and blocked two shots in 24 minutes against La Salle. Together, the five newcomers are contributing 10.8 ppg, 7.3 rpg, and 1.3 apg.

Tuesday Blues

Strangely enough, the Blue Hens have struggled on Tuesdays under Tina Martin. In her 11-plus seasons at the helm of UD women's hoops, Delaware has gone 9-12 (.429) in Tuesday games and 207-105 (.663) during the rest of the week.

Haven't I Seen You Somewhere?

Experience and excellent credentials may not be the only requirements needed to coach at Delaware. Having a twin in the

family may also be a prerequisite. Head coach **Tina Martin** and associate head coach **Jeanine Radice** are both twins. Martin has an identical twin sister, Teresa, while Radice has a fraternal twin sister, Julie.

Mean Streak

UD has lost seven consecutive games for the first time since an eight-game slide that stretched from Jan. 8-29 of 1998. The Hens' seven-game skid is the third longest in program history, while their 1-7 start is the worst since the 1981-82 season, when UD also started 1-7. Delaware bested Towson, 60-46, to avoid its eighth loss and went on to finish 9-14 that year. The Hens' only other 1-7 start came in 1979-80, when they also triumphed in game number nine.

Rimmed Out

The Blue Hens are shooting just .304 from the floor this year, worst in the CAA. They connected on just 18 of 59 shots (.305) in the loss to UMES on Dec. 6 and have shot below 32 percent in six of eight games.

Hens Will Miss Smith

Delaware said goodbye to the most decorated player in school history in guard **Tyresa Smith**, who graduated last year and was selected by the Phoenix Mercury in the second round of the WNBA Draft. Smith, a two-time CAA Defensive Player of the Year and first team All-CAA pick, finished her Blue Hen career at No. 2 on UD's all-time scoring list (1,635 points) and as the school's all-time leader in steals (342). She ranks among the top 11 in UD history in points, rebounds, assists, steals, blocks, field goals made, and free throws made.

Irving's No Long Shot

Senior forward **Courtney Irving**, who scored a season-high 14 points on 4-for-10 shooting against UMES, ranks No. 1 on UD's all-time list with a .512 career field goal percentage. She connected on 98 of 170 shots last year (.576) to break a 15-year-old single-season school record. Irving also ranks third in Delaware history with a .827 career free-throw percentage. This season, she's made 15 of her 31 field goal attempts (.484) and 19 of 23 free throws (.826).

Twenty-Something

Delaware has won 20 or more games in seven of its last eight seasons, amassing a 184-59 record in that span. The Hens had recorded just four 20-win years in the previous 28.

Bored With Boards

In their game on Dec. 6, UMES outrebounded Delaware by a 46-32 margin, the seventh time in eight games that the Hens have lost the battle of the boards. They've

been outrebounded by an average of 8.8 boards per night on the year. Delaware outmuscled other teams by 1.9 rebounds per game last season.

A-OK Outside the CAA

The Hens have fared well outside the CAA in recent years. Delaware is 33-16 (.673) in non-league games since the start of the 2003-04 season, but the Hens have lost nine of their last 10 match-ups outside the conference.

National Power to Power Outage

Last season, UD ranked fourth in the country in steals per game (13.3), tenth in turnovers per game (13.6), 18th in scoring defense (55.9 ppg), 19th in scoring margin (12.9 ppg), 19th in winning percentage (81.3%), and 50th in free throw percentage (73.7%). This year, the young Hens have struggled against top-quality competition early, and their numbers aren't quite as impressive. UD ranks last in the CAA in scoring offense (47.6 ppg), scoring margin (-17.1 ppg), field goal percentage (30.4%), three-point field goal percentage (18.7%), rebounding defense (41.6 rpg), assists (7.4 apg), assist-to-turnover ratio (0.37), and three-point field goals made (2.1 per game).

Colonial Dominance

The Blue Hens have posted an 85-23 record in CAA play since they joined the league in 2001-02. Only perennial power Old Dominion (99-9) has won more conference games in that span.

Tough Slate

In 2007-08, UD will face at least seven teams - Texas Christian, Maryland, Delaware State, Bowling Green, Louisville, James Madison, and Old Dominion - that made the NCAA Tournament last year. Four of the Hens' first five opponents went to the Big Dance a year ago.

Talking Turkey

In June, head coach **Tina Martin**, associate head coach **Jeanine Radice**, former player **Alena Koshansky**, and current players **Courtney Irving** and **Kyle DeHaven** ventured to Turkey along with members of the UD sports management department. For eight days, the Blue Hen representatives conducted clinics for coaches and players as part of FIBA Europe's Year of Women's Basketball campaign.

It Runs In The Family

Freshman guard **Tesia Harris**, a Street & Smith All-American as a high school senior last year, has basketball in her blood. She is a cousin of Channing Frye, a forward with the Portland Trailblazers.

◆ Season and Career Highs ◆

#11 Sr. G Kyle DeHaven

	Season High	Career High (At Delaware)
Points	24 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
Rebounds	4, three times	6 vs. Fordham (12-22-06)
Assists	8 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
Steals	6 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	9 vs. Boston Univ. (12-10-06)
Blocks	---	1, three times
FG Made	5 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	8 at VCU (2-1-07)
FG Att.	18 vs. BC (11-20-07)	19 at VCU (2-1-07)
FT Made	12 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
FT Att.	13 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
3PtFG Made	2, twice	4 vs. Towson (1-14-07)
3PtFG Att.	11 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same
Minutes	39 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	40 vs. James Madison (3-10-07)

#32 Jr. G Jamie Mundy

	Season High	Career High (At Delaware)
Points	10, twice	same
Rebounds	8 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	8, twice
Assists	1, three times	5, twice
Steals	2, three times	2, six times
Blocks	1 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FG Made	4, four times	same
FG Att.	14 vs. Murr. St. (11-24-07)	same
FT Made	5 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
FT Att.	6 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
3PtFG Made	2 vs. BC (11-20-07)	same
3PtFG Att.	5 vs. BC (11-20-07)	same
Minutes	36 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same

#43 So. C Farrah Ferguson

	Season High	Career High
Points	4 at TCU (11-16-07)	9 vs. Fordham (12-22-06)
Rebounds	5 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	7 vs. George Mason (1-28-07)
Assists	2 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	3 vs. UNC Wilmington (2-15-07)
Steals	1, twice	3 at Bowling Green (12-29-06)
Blocks	3 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	6 vs. UNC Wilmington (2-15-07)
FG Made	1, twice	4 vs. Fordham (12-22-06)
FG Att.	7 at TCU (11-16-07)	7, twice
FT Made	2, three times	4 at George Mason (2-8-07)
FT Att.	4 vs. BC (11-20-07)	4, twice
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	34 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	34, twice

#22 So. F Sha'Ron Harrison

	Season High	Career High
Points	8 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
Rebounds	12 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
Assists	---	---
Steals	4 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
Blocks	2 vs. Del. State (11-9-07)	same
FG Made	3, three times	same
FG Att.	8, twice	same
FT Made	2 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FT Att.	2, four times	2, five times
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	22 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same

#34 Fr. G Tesia Harris

	Season High	Career High
Points	10 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
Rebounds	6 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
Assists	---	---
Steals	1, three times	same
Blocks	1 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same
FG Made	4 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
FG Att.	7 at Maryland (11-13-07)	same
FT Made	2 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	---
FT Att.	2 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	2, twice	same

#30 Sr. F Courtney Irving

	Season High	Career High
Points	14 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	17, twice
Rebounds	8 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	10, twice
Assists	2 vs. BC (11-20-07)	3 at UNC Wilmington (1-7-07)
Steals	2, twice	5 at UNC Wilmington (1-7-07)
Blocks	---	3, twice
FG Made	4 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	8 vs. Hofstra (1-4-07)
FG Att.	10 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	12 vs. James Madison (3-10-07)
FT Made	7 at Maryland (11-13-07)	12 vs. Towson (2-17-06)
FT Att.	8 at Maryland (11-13-07)	12 vs. Towson (2-17-06)
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	35 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	35, twice

#24 Jr. G Ethlynn Thomas

	Season High	Career High
Points	10 vs. Murr. St. (11-24-07)	same
Rebounds	6 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	same
Assists	1, three times	2 vs. VCU (3-9-07)
Steals	1, three times	2, twice
Blocks	1, twice	1, six times
FG Made	3, twice	same
FG Att.	9 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	same
FT Made	4 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	6 vs. VCU (3-9-07)
FT Att.	5 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	7 vs. VCU (3-9-07)
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	24 vs. Murr. St. (11-24-07)	24, three times

#31 So. G Corinthia Benison

	Season High	Career High
Points	15, twice	same
Rebounds	5 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
Assists	2, four times	2, seven times
Steals	3, twice	same
Blocks	1 at Maryland (11-13-07)	same
FG Made	6 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same
FG Att.	14 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same
FT Made	6 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FT Att.	7 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same
3PtFG Made	1, four times	same
3PtFG Att.	6 at Maryland (11-13-07)	same
Minutes	35 vs. UMES (12-6-07)	same

#44 Fr.-r F Ariene Jenkins

	Season High	Career High
Points	2, twice	same
Rebounds	2 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
Assists	---	---
Steals	2 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
Blocks	1 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FG Made	1, twice	same
FG Att.	5 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FT Made	1 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FT Att.	2 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	12 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same

#23 Fr. G Vanessa Kabongo

	Season High	Career High
Points	11, three times	same
Rebounds	3, twice	same
Assists	3 vs. Murray St. (11-24-07)	same
Steals	1, three times	same
Blocks	---	---
FG Made	5, three times	same
FG Att.	16 at Maryland (11-13-07)	same
FT Made	2 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
FT Att.	4 vs. Louisville (11-23-07)	same
3PtFG Made	1, twice	same
3PtFG Att.	2 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same

#12 Fr. G Gracie Palucis

	Season High	Career High
Points	2 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
Rebounds	1, four times	same
Assists	1, twice	same
Steals	1 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
Blocks	---	---
FG Made	---	---
FG Att.	4, twice	same
FT Made	2 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
FT Att.	2 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	3, twice	same
Minutes	20 at TCU (11-16-07)	same

#20 Fr. C Eva Riddick

	Season High	Career High
Points	2, four times	same
Rebounds	7 at TCU (11-16-07)	same
Assists	1, twice	same
Steals	3 vs. BC (11-20-07)	same
Blocks	2 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
FG Made	1, four times	same
FG Att.	3, twice	same
FT Made	1 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
FT Att.	2 vs. La Salle (11-28-07)	same
3PtFG Made	---	---
3PtFG Att.	---	---
Minutes	25 vs. Murr. St. (11-24-07)	same

◆Radio & TV Chart◆

#11

KYLE
DEHAVEN

Sr. ♦ Guard ♦ 5-8
Herndon, VA

PPG: 11.2
RPG: 3.2
APG: 4.7



#12

GRACIE
PALUCIS

Fr. ♦ Guard ♦ 5-10
Moon Township, PA

PPG: 0.4
RPG: 0.8
APG: 0.4



#20

EVA
RIDDICK

Fr. ♦ Center ♦ 6-3
Rochester, NY

PPG: 1.1
RPG: 3.0
APG: 0.3



#22

SHA'RON
HARRISON

So. ♦ Forward ♦ 6-1
Patterson, NJ

PPG: 3.3
RPG: 3.6
APG: 0.0



#23

VANESSA
KABONGO

Fr. ♦ Guard ♦ 5-10
Toronto, ON

PPG: 6.8
RPG: 1.9
APG: 0.8



#24

ETHLYNNE
THOMAS

Jr. ♦ Guard ♦ 5-10
Gaithersburg, MD

PPG: 3.7
RPG: 3.3
APG: 0.4



#30

COURTNEY
IRVING

Sr. ♦ Forward ♦ 6-1
Hockessin, DE

PPG: 6.1
RPG: 4.1
APG: 0.5



#31

CORINTHIA
BENISON

So. ♦ Guard ♦ 5-9
New York, NY

PPG: 7.3
RPG: 2.5
APG: 1.0



#32

JAMIE
MUNDY

Jr. ♦ Guard ♦ 6-0
Proctorville, OH

PPG: 7.5
RPG: 4.3
APG: 0.4



#34

TESIA
HARRIS

Fr. ♦ Guard ♦ 6-0
Dix Hills, NY

PPG: 2.3
RPG: 1.7
APG: 0.0



#43

FARRAH
FERGUSON

So. ♦ Center ♦ 6-4
Ambler, PA

PPG: 1.5
RPG: 3.3
APG: 0.4



#44

ARIENE
JENKINS

Fr.-r ♦ Forward ♦ 6-1
Woodbridge, VA

PPG: 1.0
RPG: 0.8
APG: 0.0



GAME #1

DELAWARE 54
Delaware State 47
 November 9, 2007 • Bob Carpenter Center
 Pre-Season WNIT • 1st Round

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Harrison	21	3-8	1-2	12	0	4	7
Ferguson	24	0-3	2-2	4	0	3	2
DeHaven	39	5-11	12-13	4	6	3	24
Kabongo	19	0-5	0-2	2	0	0	0
Thomas	8	1-1	0-0	2	0	2	2
Riddick	1	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Irving	27	1-2	0-0	2	0	0	2
Benison	21	1-6	3-5	0	2	3	5
Mundy	30	4-5	2-2	3	1	3	10
Harris	1	0-2	0-0	1	0	0	0
Jenkins	9	1-1	0-0	0	0	0	2
Totals	200	16-44	20-26	34	9	18	54
		.364	.769	(4)			

DelState	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Palmer	33	8-18	1-2	13	1	4	18
Littlepage	17	0-1	0-0	7	0	2	0
Collier	32	2-16	3-4	3	1	3	8
Smith	17	2-5	1-1	5	1	3	5
Galloway	6	0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0
Wakefield	22	1-5	1-2	5	1	2	4
Burbage	34	2-6	0-0	0	3	4	5
Stewart	10	0-3	0-2	2	0	1	0
Thompson	18	1-4	1-2	3	0	1	3
Bowen	11	0-0	4-6	2	1	0	4
Totals	200	16-59	11-19	44	8	21	47
		.271	.579	(4)			

Delaware State	.26	21	-	47
Delaware	.22	32	-	54

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 8-27 (.296)/8-17 (.471); DSU - 9-29 (.310)/7-30 (.233); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 2-7, .286 (DeHaven, 2-6, Benison, 0-1), DSU - 4-19, .211 (Palmer, 1-4, Collier, 1-1, Wakefield, 1-4, Burbage, 1-5, Smith, 0-2, Stewart, 0-2, Thompson, 0-1); **Blocks:** UD - 4 (Ferguson, 2, Harrison, 2), DSU - 3 (Palmer, Littlepage, Bowen); **Steals:** UD - 18 (DeHaven, 6, Harrison, 4, Benison, 3, Mundy, 2, Ferguson, Thomas, Harris), DSU - 15 (Palmer, 4, Collier, 3, Burbage, 3, Bowen, 2, Smith, 2, Stewart); **Turnovers:** UD - 22 (DeHaven, 4, Kabongo, 4, Benison, 4, Mundy, 4, Harrison, 3, Ferguson, 2, Harris), DSU - 24 (Palmer, 5, Smith, 5, Wakefield, 4, Littlepage, 3, Collier, 3, Burbage, 2, Galloway, Stewart); **Officials:** Tom Danaher, Mark Behrens, Kris Denson; **Attendance:** 773

NEWARK, DE -- Kyle DeHaven scored 19 of her career-high 24 points in the second half, dished out six assists, and recorded six steals as Delaware opened the 2007-08 season with a victory...the game, the first between the state's only NCAA Division I teams since the 2000-01 season, matched two teams NCAA Tournament teams from a year ago...Delaware extended its non-conference regular season home winning streak to 15 games since November, 2003...the Hens are now 9-0 all-time vs. Delaware State...DeHaven, a pre-season All-CAA selection, converted 12 of 13 shots from the foul line to lead the Blue Hen effort...Delaware overcame 36.4 shooting from the field (16 of 44) and a 44-34 rebounding deficit...Delaware State shot just 27.1 percent from the field (16 of 59) and turned the ball over 24 times...Delaware senior Jamie Mundy was the only other UD player in double figures as she netted a career-high 10 points while ShaRon Harrison scored seven points and pulled a career-high 12 points - matching her total for the entire season a year ago...Delaware State got a team-high 18 points and 13 rebounds from Katreem Palmer but Raquel Collier was held to just eight points of 2 of 16 shooting from the field...Delaware State jumped out to a 26-22 halftime lead but Delaware outscored them 8-1 over the first five minutes of the second stanza to take the lead for good at 30-27 after a steal and layup by DeHaven with 15:17 remaining...Delaware State didn't convert its first field goal until Palmer hit a layup with 13:34 remaining to cut the lead to 30-29...UD later used a 6-0 to take control and lead by as much as 50-39 with 4:13 remaining.

GAME #2

#3 Maryland..... 91
DELAWARE 43
 November 13, 2007 • Comcast Center
 Pre-Season WNIT • 2nd Round

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Harrison	14	0-2	0-0	4	0	2	0
Ferguson	24	0-2	1-2	3	0	2	1
Thomas	14	0-3	0-0	0	1	1	0
Benison	30	2-13	0-2	1	0	0	5
Mundy	30	4-12	0-0	2	0	3	9
Palucis	9	0-4	0-0	1	0	1	0
Riddick	14	1-2	0-0	3	0	2	2
Kabongo	24	5-16	1-2	3	1	1	11
Irving	19	1-2	7-8	6	0	3	9
Harris	12	2-7	0-0	2	0	0	4
Jenkins	10	1-3	0-0	0	0	2	2
Totals	200	16-66	9-14	27	2	17	43
		.242	.643	(2)			

Maryland	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Harper	24	3-5	3-3	5	1	1	9
Coleman	23	6-14	4-4	3	5	3	16
Perry	29	3-5	5-6	15	0	0	11
Strickland	20	2-7	0-0	6	2	2	4
Toliver	30	5-9	5-5	5	10	1	19
Marrone	4	1-2	0-0	0	0	0	3
Lyons	15	0-1	2-2	8	1	0	2
Newman	24	6-10	2-3	4	1	1	18
Mingo	27	2-5	2-2	6	0	0	7
Wallace	4	0-2	2-2	0	0	0	2
Totals	200	28-60	25-27	57	20	13	91
		.467	.926	(5)			

Delaware	.21	22	-	43
Maryland	.46	45	-	91

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 9-33 (.273)/7-33 (.212); UM - 17-28 (.607)/11-32 (.344); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 2-15, .133 (Benison, 1-6, Mundy, 1-4, Palucis, 0-3, Harris, 0-2), UM - 10-24, .417 (Toliver, 4-6, Newman, 4-7, Marrone, 1-2, Mingo, 1-2, Coleman, 0-3, Strickland, 0-3, Lyons, 0-1); **Blocks:** UD - 2 (Thomas, Benison), UM - 2 (Harper, Perry); **Steals:** UD - 5 (Harrison, Benison, Kabongo, Irving, Harris), UM - 6 (Coleman, 3, Harper, Toliver, Mingo); **Turnovers:** UD - 14 (Benison, 4, Irving, 3, Ferguson, 2, Palucis, 2, Harrison, Kabongo, Team), UM - 18 (Strickland, 7, Toliver, 3, Coleman, 2, Perry, 2, Lyons, 2, Harper, Newman); **Officials:** Bonita Spence, John Ormsky, Norma Jones; **Attendance:** 4,678.

COLLEGE PARK, MD -- The strength and balance of Maryland was too much for short-handed Delaware as the Blue Hens suffered their worst loss in a decade...the No. 3 ranked Terrapins (3-0), the 2006 NCAA national champions, placed four scorers in double figures and never trailed as the Hens (1-1) suffered their biggest losing margin since a 102-54 setback to Maine Feb. 13, 1997 during head coach Tina Martin's rookie campaign...freshman Vanessa Kabongo led the Blue Hens with 11 points...Delaware played without senior point guard Kyle DeHaven, who sat out with a broken hand suffered in a season-opening win over Delaware State in which she scored 24 points...despite the absence of DeHaven, the Hens committed just 14 turnovers, four less than the Terrapins...Kristi Toliver led the Terps with 19 points and 10 assists, Jade Perry had 11 points and 15 rebounds, Ashleigh Newman registered 18 points, and Marissa Coleman added 16 points...Maryland held a commanding 57-27 rebounding advantage and also converted 25 of 27 free throws...Maryland's 91 points were the most allowed by the Hens since a 91-85 overtime loss to Hofstra Feb. 12, 2006...Courtney Irving had nine points and a team-high six rebounds and Mundy contributed nine points to pace Delaware, which shot just 24.2 percent (16 of 66) from the field...Delaware stayed close early, tying the game at 8-8 six minutes into the contest...after Maryland's Toliver hit a three-pointer, the Hens pulled to within 14-12 on a jumper by Kabongo...that would be as close as the Hens would get the rest of the night as Maryland reeled off seven straight points to take control at 21-12 and used a 34-11 run that resulted in a 46-21 halftime advantage...Delaware never got closer than 23 the entire second half with Maryland pushing the lead to as much as 49 points at 91-42 in the closing minutes.

GAME #3

Texas Christian..... 66
DELAWARE 36
 November 16, 2007 • Daniel-Meyer Coliseum
 Pre-Season WNIT • Consolation

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Harrison	21	3-8	1-2	4	0	4	7
Ferguson	31	1-7	2-2	3	0	2	4
Kabongo	27	2-6	1-1	2	1	0	5
Benison	25	0-1	1-2	3	2	2	1
Mundy	31	2-9	5-6	7	0	3	9
Palucis	20	0-4	2-2	1	1	1	2
Bell	2	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Riddick	13	1-2	0-0	7	1	4	2
Thomas	8	0-1	2-2	3	1	0	2
Irving	14	2-4	0-0	1	1	5	4
Harris	8	0-2	0-0	1	0	1	0
Totals	200	11-44	14-17	38	7	22	36
		.250	.824	(6)			

TCU	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Sverrisdottier	22	3-6	4-4	4	6	1	11
Butler-Rayford	30	3-10	0-1	8	2	2	7
Lohse	23	6-8	1-2	3	1	2	13
Roden	24	3-7	0-0	2	2	2	8
Ross	23	1-6	2-4	6	2	3	4
Knight	11	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0
Carter	10	1-4	2-2	1	0	1	5
Moore	18	2-8	0-0	2	1	1	6
Roberts	4	0-0	3-4	1	0	0	3
Nunn	19	2-7	5-6	3	2	3	9
Garoutte	7	0-1	0-0	2	0	2	0
Younger	9	0-3	0-0	2	0	3	0
Totals	200	21-60	17-23	40	17	22	66
		.350	.739	(6)			

Delaware	.15	21	-	36
TCU	.32	34	-	66

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 5-21 (.238)/6-23 (.261); TCU - 11-28 (.393)/10-32 (.313); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 0-7, .000 (Palucis, 0-3, Mundy, 0-2, Kabongo, 0-1, Harris, 0-1), TCU - 7-26, .269 (Moore, 2-7, Roden, 2-6, Carter, 1-3, Butler-Rayford, 1-3, Sverrisdottier, 1-4, Ross, 0-3); **Blocks:** 2 (Ferguson, Riddick), TCU - 4 (Younger, 2, Nunn, Sverrisdottier); **Steals:** UD - 9 (Harrison, 3, Mundy, 2, Riddick, 2, Palucis, Irving), TCU - 14 (Butler-Rayford, 3, Roden, 3, Ross, 3, Nunn, 2, Younger, Carter, Knight); **Turnovers:** UD - 30 (Kabongo, 7, Benison, 5, Harrison, 4, Ferguson, 3, Riddick, 3, Irving, 3, Palucis, 2, Mundy, Thomas, Team); TCU - 17 (Ross, 5, Roden, 3, Knight, 2, Nunn, 2, Garoutte, 2, Butler-Rayford, 2, Lohse); **Officials:** Gator Parrish, Laurie Porter, Steve Lawrence; **Attendance:** 1,822.

FORTH WORTH, TX -- Offensive woes continued to plague Delaware as the young and outmanned Blue Hens shot just 25 percent from the field and committed 30 turnovers...Jamie Mundy led the Blue Hens (1-2) with nine points and seven rebounds while ShaRon Harrison added seven points, and freshman Eva Riddick pulled down seven rebounds...the Hens shot just 11 of 44 from the field (5 of 21 in the opening half) and were 0 for 7 from beyond the three-point line...TCU (2-1), an NCAA Tournament qualifier each of the past seven seasons, jumped out to a 32-15 halftime lead and never looked back as Jenna Lohse scored a game-high 13 points, Helena Sverrisdottier added 11 points and six assists, and Lori Butler-Rayford had seven points and eight rebounds...the Hens were held to their lowest scoring output since a 47-36 setback to George Mason Feb. 20, 2003...UD played its second straight game without senior pre-season All-CAA standout Kyle DeHaven (broken hand)...Delaware failed to put a scorer in double figures for the first time since a 68-47 loss at Towson on Dec. 9, 1997...TCU went 21-11 last season and advanced to the NCAA Tournament before falling to Mississippi in the opening round...Delaware tied the score at 2-2 on a Harrison jumper just over a minute into the game, but the Lady Frogs reeled off 14 of the next 16 points and held the Hens scoreless for nearly six minutes to take control at 15-4...the Hens battled back and out the lead to 17-11 on a Mundy free throw with 7:41 left in the opening half, but TCU roared back again and scored nine straight points on the way to a 26-11 lead and eventually took a 17-point advantage into the break.

GAME #4

DELAWARE 51
Boston College 53
 November 20, 2007 • Bob Carpenter Center

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Irving	29	3-6	4-4	5	2	3	10
Ferguson	21	0-3	2-4	4	0	2	2
DeHaven	38	2-18	6-6	3	5	2	11
Kabongo	16	3-4	0-1	1	0	0	6
Mundy	27	3-8	0-0	4	1	4	8
Palucis	5	0-2	0-0	0	0	0	0
Riddick	17	1-3	0-0	2	1	3	2
Harrison	18	0-3	1-2	1	0	0	1
Thomas	13	0-1	2-2	4	0	1	2
Benison	16	2-3	4-6	4	0	3	9
Harris	5	0-3	0-1	1	0	1	0
Jenkins	5	0-0	0-0	1	0	0	0
Totals	200	14-54	19-26	33	9	19	51
		.259	.731	(3)			

BC	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Brown	33	2-6	0-0	7	2	2	4
Kentish	11	1-1	0-0	1	1	2	2
Swords	30	2-4	0-4	8	3	4	4
Thoman	21	0-3	0-0	4	5	1	0
Picco	10	1-3	0-0	1	1	1	2
Jones	19	2-5	1-3	2	1	1	5
Rusin	12	3-6	4-5	2	4	4	10
Johnson	18	0-1	0-5	3	1	4	0
Murphy	34	13-21	0-4	16	1	3	26
Miles	12	0-0	0-0	2	0	2	0
Totals	200	24-50	5-21	49	19	24	53
		.480	.238	(3)			

Boston College	25	28	-	53
Delaware	23	28	-	51

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 8-30 (.267)/6-24 (.250); BC - 11-22 (.500)/13-28 (.464); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 4-20, .200 (DeHaven, 1-10, Mundy, 2-5, Palucis, 0

GAME #5

Louisville.....80
DELAWARE.....55
 November 23, 2007 • McKenzie Arena
 Panera Bread Challenge 1st Round
 University of Tennessee-Chattanooga

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Irving	12	0-0	0-0	0	1	2	0
Mundy	18	0-0	1-2	2	1	1	1
Ferguson	27	0-0	0-0	2	1	0	0
DeHaven	22	3-6	2-2	4	3	3	9
Kabongo	16	4-5	2-4	1	0	0	11
Palucis	6	0-0	0-0	1	1	0	0
Bell	3	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0
Riddick	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	5	0
Harrison	22	3-5	2-2	1	0	3	8
Thomas	22	3-4	2-3	4	1	2	8
Benison	24	4-10	6-6	3	2	1	15
Harris	11	1-2	0-0	1	0	0	2
Jenkins	12	0-5	1-2	2	0	2	1
Totals	200	18-38	16-21	23	10	19	55
		.474	.762	(2)			

Louisville	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Radde	21	4-6	0-0	0	1	3	11
McCoughtry	24	14-22	2-2	6	0	1	32
Wright	20	3-9	6-8	4	0	4	12
Bingham	16	0-4	1-2	3	1	1	1
Barlow	19	0-0	0-0	1	7	1	0
Evans	19	1-1	0-0	0	4	4	2
Simmons	17	0-0	3-4	1	3	1	3
Terry	19	0-1	0-0	2	0	1	0
Hines	24	3-4	3-4	9	0	4	9
Byrd	21	5-6	0-0	2	2	3	10
Totals	200	30-53	15-20	28	18	23	80
		.566	.750	(0)			

Delaware	21	34	-	55
Louisville	41	39	-	80

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 5-12 (.417)/13-26 (.500); L - 17-32 (.531)/13-21 (.619); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 3-4, .750 (DeHaven, 1-1, Kabongo, 1-1, Benison, 1-2); L - 5-6, .833 (Radde, 3-3, McCoughtry, 2-3); **Blocks:** UD - 5 (Ferguson, 3, Mundy, Jenkins), L - 4 (Bingham, Evans, Terry, Hines); **Steals:** UD - 9 (Jenkins, 2, Benison, 2, DeHaven, Mundy, Ferguson, Bell, Thomas), L - 15 (McCoughtry, 5, Byrd, 3, Barlow, 2, Bingham, 2, Wright, Evans, Simmons); **Turnovers:** UD - 30 (DeHaven, 9, Harrison, 5, Benison, 4, Palucis, 2, Thomas, 2, Jenkins, 2, TEAM, 2, Harris, Riddick, Ferguson, Mundy), L - 21 (McCoughtry, 4, Evans, 3, Bingham, 3, Barlow, 2, Simmons, 2, Terry, 2, Radde, Wright, Hines, Byrd, TEAM); **Officials:** Lisa Ruggs, Tim Buckner, J.T. Turner; **Attendance:** 1,403.

CHATTANOOGA, TN -- Louisville forward Angel McCoughtry scored 28 of her 32 points in the opening half as she led the Cardinals over Delaware in the first round of the Panera Bread Classic, hosted by UT-Chattanooga. McCoughtry, the preseason Big East Player of the Year and an All-America candidate, got her team off to a hot start, scoring four points as the Cardinals stormed to a 6-0 lead...the Hens fought back to within 12-11 on a lay-up by Corintha Benison with 13:21 left in the first half, but Louisville -- ranked 22nd in the nation just a week ago -- took control from that point...McCoughtry scorched the net for 16 points to ignite a 21-5 Cardinal run that broke the game open...Delaware was held without a field goal for 9:28 during the Louisville barrage...McCoughtry outscored the Hens in the first half by herself as the Cardinals took a 41-21 lead at the break...Delaware committed 30 turnovers (nine by Kyle DeHaven), including 20 in the opening half, but did shoot a season-high 47.4 percent (18 of 38) from the field for the game...Benison led the Blue Hens with a career-high 15 points while Vanessa Kabongo added 10 of her 11 points in the second half and DeHaven added nine points...the Hens shot 13 of 26 from the field in the second half and were outscored just 39-34 in the stanza...Louisville shot 56.6 percent from the field (30 of 53) and put four scorers in double figures as McCoughtry was backed by 12 points from Chantise Wright, 11 from Brandie Radde, and 10 more from Deseree Byrd...Patrika Barlow dished out a game-high seven assists...UT-Chattanooga defeated Murray State 68-58 in the other first round game.

GAME #6

Murray State62
DELAWARE.....46
 November 24, 2007 • McKenzie Arena
 Panera Bread Challenge Third-Place Game
 University of Tennessee-Chattanooga

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Irving	25	2-4	1-2	5	0	1	5
Kabongo	34	5-15	0-0	3	3	2	10
Ferguson	8	0-2	0-0	1	0	0	0
DeHaven	35	2-10	3-3	1	0	0	8
Mundy	35	4-14	0-0	8	0	1	9
Riddick	25	1-3	0-0	5	0	2	2
Harrison	3	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Thomas	24	3-9	4-5	6	0	5	10
Benison	11	1-5	0-1	0	0	1	2
Totals	200	18-62	8-11	32	3	12	46
		.290	.727	(3)			

Murray State	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
A. Guffey	32	5-9	3-3	5	5	2	17
Petty	36	4-7	0-0	1	6	2	12
Lee	22	3-3	3-3	3	4	3	11
Hayes	32	5-9	3-4	13	2	1	13
Brown	29	3-9	0-0	5	0	3	6
Matthews	15	0-2	0-0	3	1	0	0
Wynn	1	0-1	0-0	0	0	0	0
Luckett	4	0-1	0-0	1	0	1	0
Jackson	8	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Thornton	4	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	0
P. Guffey	12	1-1	0-0	1	1	0	3
Bell	5	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Totals	200	21-42	9-10	35	19	13	62
		.500	.900	(3)			

Delaware	18	28	-	46
Murray State	24	38	-	62

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 7-25 (.280)/11-37 (.297); MSU - 9-22 (.409)/12-20 (.600); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 2-9, .222 (DeHaven, 1-4, Mundy, 1-3, Benison, 0-2); MSU - 11-18, .611 (A. Guffey, 4-7, Petty, 4-7, Lee, 2-2, P. Guffey, 1-1, Luckett, 0-1); **Blocks:** UD - 0; MSU - 0; **Steals:** UD - 9 (DeHaven, 3, Riddick, 2, Kabongo, Mundy, Thomas, Benison), MSU - 4 (Lee, 2, Hayes, P. Guffey); **Turnovers:** UD - 20 (DeHaven, 5, Kabongo, 4, Riddick, 3, Thomas, 3, Irving, 2, Ferguson, Harrison, Benison), MSU - 29 (A. Guffey, 6, Hayes, 5, Lee, 4, Brown, 4, Petty, 3, Matthews, 3, P. Guffey, 2, Bell, TEAM); **Officials:** Garry Roberts, Kim Crabtree, JT Turner; **Attendance:** 1,324.

CHATTANOOGA, TN -- Amber Guffey scored 17 points and drained four three-pointers to lead Murray State to the victory in the third-place game of the Panera Bread Classic at UTC...four players scored in double figures for sweet-shooting Murray State, which connected on 11 of 18 three-pointers and shot 50 percent from the floor -- 60 percent in the second half...junior guard Ethlyne Thomas netted a career-high 10 points and grabbed six rebounds for the Blue Hens (1-5), who lost their fifth game in a row for the first time since November of 2003...freshman guard Vanessa Kabongo added 10 points, accounted for Delaware's only three assists, and was named to the All-Tournament team...the Racers lived up to their name early on, sprinting out to a 12-2 lead to open the game thanks to three three-pointers and a three-point play, but Delaware answered with a 14-3 surge of its own to take its first lead of the game at 16-15 on a tip-in by Jamie Mundy (nine points) at the 5:43 mark...Murray State regained the momentum in the final few minutes of the period, taking a 24-18 half-time lead on a buzzer-beating three-pointer from 25 feet out by Paige Guffey...the Racers opened the second half with an 18-9 run highlighted by a four-point play from guard Alaina Lee, who tallied 11 points and connected on all three of her long-range tries...Murray State took its biggest lead of 20 when Hayes hit a free throw to make the score 53-33 with 6:02 left in the game...Delaware shot just 29 percent from the field, dipping below 30 percent for the fourth time in six games...Kyle DeHaven collected three steals to bring her career total to 330 and move into fifth place on the all-time CAA list while also netting eight points...Mundy also pulled down a team-high eight rebounds...Murray State committed 29 turnovers for the game...Ashley Hayes had 13 points and 13 rebounds for the Racers.

GAME #7

La Salle54
DELAWARE.....43
 November 28, 2007 • Bob Carpenter Center

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Riddick	24	0-1	1-2	6	0	2	1
DeHaven	32	1-11	2-4	4	8	5	4
Kabongo	24	5-9	0-0	2	1	0	11
Thomas	16	0-4	2-2	4	0	1	2
Benison	29	3-8	0-0	5	2	2	6
Harrison	4	0-3	0-0	3	0	0	0
Irving	24	2-3	1-2	6	0	3	5
Mundy	18	2-6	0-0	1	0	0	4
Harris	15	4-6	2-2	6	0	1	10
Ferguson	11	0-2	0-0	4	0	0	0
Jenkins	3	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0
Totals	200	17-54	8-12	43	11	14	43
		.315	.667	(1)			

La Salle	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Hightower	26	1-10	4-5	6	2	4	6
Gibbons	29	2-3	0-0	4	2	4	4
Elderton	32	4-6	4-4	3	7	1	14
Walsh	36	4-11	2-3	6	1	1	12
Hoover	23	2-10	0-0	5	1	1	4
Mickiewicz	6	0-1	0-0	0	0	1	0
Ash, Gale	21	3-9	0-0	4	1	1	8
Robertson	19	3-6	0-0	2	1	2	6
Ahl	8	0-0	0-0	1	2	1	0
Totals	200	19-56	10-12	34	17	16	54
		.339	.833	(3)			

La Salle	24	30	-	54
Delaware	13	30	-	43

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 5-24 (.208)/12-30 (.400); L - 9-32 (.281)/10-24 (.417); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 1-12, .083 (Kabongo, 1-2, DeHaven, 0-5, Benison, 0-2, Mundy, 0-1, Harris, 0-2); L - 6-27, .222 (Elderton, 2-3, Walsh, 2-8, Gale, 2-8, Hightower, 0-2, Hoover, 0-4, Robertson, 0-2); **Blocks:** UD - 3 (Riddick, 2, Thomas), L - 0; **Steals:** UD - 11 (DeHaven, 4, Benison, 2, Mundy, 2, Kabongo, Harrison, Harris), L - 9 (Walsh, 3, Elderton, 2, Gibbons, 2, Hightower, Hoover); **Turnovers:** UD - 19 (DeHaven, 6, Kabongo, 4, Benison, 4, Harrison, 2, Riddick, Harris, Jenkins), L - 15 (Hightower, 5, Walsh, 5, Elderton, 2, Gibbons, Gale, Ahl); **Officials:** Edward Sidlasky, Janice Aliberti, Geraldine Smith; **Attendance:** 904.

NEWARK, DE -- Delaware lost its sixth straight as a late charge couldn't overcome a cold-shooting first half...Delaware (1-6), which has lost six straight for the first time since the 1997-98 season, got career-highs of 11 points from freshman Vanessa Kabongo and 10 points and six rebounds from guard Tesia Harris, but couldn't overcome 31.5 percent shooting from the field and 19 turnovers...Kyle DeHaven dished out a career-high assists but managed just 1 of 11 shooting from the field before fouling out...LaSalle (3-3), which defeated the Hens for the first time in the last five meetings, got a game-high 14 points and seven assists from guard Margaret Elderton and 12 points and six rebounds from guard Jamie Walsh...leading scorer Carlene Hightower (20.6 ppg) was held to just six points - on 1 of 10 shooting from the field...after Delaware jumped out to a 4-0 lead in the first two minutes of the game, things went downhill...LaSalle reeled off 15 straight points and held Delaware scoreless for a span of 9:33...the Hens committed seven turnovers during the span and misfired on 12 straight shots before Jamie Mundy ended the drought with a jumper with 8:13 left in the half...the Explorers rolled to a 24-13 lead at the break despite shooting just 28.1 percent (9 of 32) from the field itself...Delaware hit just 5 of 24 first half shots (20.8 percent) and posted its lowest point total ever in a half at the BCC since the building opened in 1992-93...the Hens refused to give in in the second half as they outscored LaSalle 12-7 over the first five minutes to cut the lead to 31-25 after a jumper by Mundy with 15:08 left...Delaware cut the margin to six points again two minutes later but LaSalle answered with a 14-8 run of its own to extend the margin to 12 points with 6:31 remaining...Delaware made one last run before coming up short...Harris scored four of the Hens' next six points, including a pair of free throws with 3:06 left that cut the margin to 48-42...but that was as close as Delaware would get.

GAME #8

Maryland Eastern Shore65
DELAWARE.....53
 December 6, 2007 • Bob Carpenter Center

Delaware	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Irving	35	4-10	6-7	8	0	4	14
Riddick	8	0-2	0-0	1	0	4	0
DeHaven	35	3-16	3-4	3	6	3	11
Kabongo	7	3-3	0-0	1	0	1	0
Harris	6	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	0
Palucis	4	0-1	0-0	1	0	0	0
Benison	35	6-14	2-7	4	0	1	15
Mundy	36	4-11	2-2	7	0	3	10
Ferguson	34	1-2	1-3	5	2	2	3
Totals	200	18-59	14-23	32	8	18	53
		.305	.609	(2)			

UMES	MIN	FG	FT	R	A	F	TP
Veltkamp	19	1-3	0-2	3	0	4	2
McBride	36	3-8	4-4	11	1	2	11
Ayilola	20	5-6	1-1	1	0	3	11
Morton	35	5-11	2-2	3	6	3	14
Reid	37	2-12	2-2	9	5	2	8
Adkins	21	0-1	4-4	3	2	3	4
Parker	19	5-7	3-4	8	0	1	13
Tyler	13	0-4	0-0	2	0	1	0
McLane	1	1-1	0-0	2	0	0	2
Totals	200	22-53	16-19	46	14	19	65
		.415	.842	(4)			

UMES	29	36	-	65
Delaware	31	22	-	53

Field Goal Pct. by Half: UD - 12-30 (.400)/6-29 (.207); UMES - 11-26 (.423)/11-27 (.407); **Three-Point Field Goals:** UD - 3-17, .176 (DeHaven, 2-11, Benison, 1-2, Mundy, 0-3, Palucis, 0-1); UMES - 5-20, .250 (Reid, 2-9, Morton, 2-4, McBride, 1-4, Tyler, 0-3); **Blocks:** UD - 2 (Harris, Ferguson), UMES - 0; **Steals:** UD - 8 (Benison, 3, Irving, 2, DeHaven, 2, Mundy), UMES - 7 (Reid, 3, McBride, Ayilola, Morton, Adkins); **Turnovers:** UD - 11 (Mundy, 3, Kabongo, 2, Benison, 2, Irving, Riddick, Harris, Palucis), UMES - 18 (Reid, 6, McBride, 3, Ayilola, 3, Morton, 3, Veltkamp, Adkins, Parker); **Officials:** Eric Brewton, Mark Zentz, Warren Harding Jr.; **Attendance:** 916.

NEWARK, DE -- Freshman guard Casey Morton scored 14 points and Chena Parker added 13 to lead the Maryland-Eastern Shore women's basketball team to a 65-53 victory over Delaware on Thursday night at the Bob Carpenter Center...sophomore guard Corintha Benison poured in a game-high 15 points for the Blue Hens, who lost their seventh straight game for the first time since an eight-game skid in January of 1998...Delaware led 50-49 with 7:57 left in the second half, but the Hawks (4-3, 0-0 MEAC) used a 16-3 run in the final minutes to secure their second straight win...UMES sizzled in the opening minutes, scoring the first 13 points of the game to take a 13-0 lead on an April McBride three-pointer with 15:47 left in the first half...the Hens were held scoreless for the first 5:07 of play, as Maryland-Eastern Shore sank five of its first eight field goal tries...a Kyle DeHaven three-pointer ignited a 29-10 Blue Hen surge that forward Courtney Irving capped with two free throws at the 3:44 mark...Benison poured in 13 points during the run, which put the Hens up 29-23...Delaware led 31-29 at intermission and kept the edge until the Hawks reeled off ten unanswered points, taking command at 59-50 when Parker scored on a fast break with 3:49 remaining...Delaware was held without a field goal for the final 8:50...the Hens enjoyed their most balanced offensive effort of the year, as four UD players reached double figures for the first time since a win over VCU on March 9 of last season...Irving finished with season highs of 14 points and eight rebounds, while Mundy added 10 points and seven boards...UD scored its most points since it put up 55 in a loss to Louisville on Nov. 23, but shot just 20.7 percent from the floor in the second half and 30.5 percent for the game...DeHaven tallied 11 points, six assists, and two steals in the setback, but she made just three of her 16 shots from the floor...the Hens (1-7, 0-0 CAA) suffered their first loss to a team from the Mid-Eastern Athletic Conference since 2001, when they fell to Coppin State...they've now dropped three consecutive games at home for the first time 1998.